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A Subscription due and Payable in AdvanceCongress convened to-day,
Tuesday, for the short term.

The thriving town of Cadiz, in Western Kentucky, was gutted by a fire on November 29th. The courthouse and other public buildings and business houses and residences were destroyed. The loss is estimated at \$250,000. Insurance did not amount to one-third the loss.

Miss Fannie Brasher, a telephone operator at Middlesboro, was attacked while on duty a few nights ago. The hour was about 1 o'clock. The operator heard some one trying to perfect an entrance and she gave an alarm. When the police reached the office the intruder had escaped down the back way, and is supposed to have left the city. The girl admitted that the man was James Thompson, who said he intended to kill her because she refused to marry him.

Quite a number of our friends and patrons who live in other states are behind with their subscriptions for The News. We do not want to loose a single subscriber, but will be compelled to remove their names from our list if they fail to send in the amount due in the next few weeks. There is not a man on the list that has not a good idea how his account stands. So send in a years subscription and then we will tell you how your account stands on our books. You need the paper and, and we need your support.

The Courier Journal stated in its Wednesday edition that a majority of of the Legislature favored the calling of an extra session to provide funds for highway construction. Senator Har-

ris, of Versailles, president pro tem of the Senate at the last session opposes the extra session, saying it would cost a \$100,000 and that redistricting measures would probably be brought up, subjecting the road legislation to partisan politics. The Senator is right. The tax payers of Kentucky are already carrying a load.

There are two papers published in the Eleventh district, one Democratic in sentiment, the other Republican. These papers are published in Somerset. The Democratic paper is edited by Mr. Cecil Williams, the Republican paper by Mr. R. M. Feese, formerly of this place. These gentlemen are partners and the papers are published in the same building, only a petition separating the two offices. The reading matter for the two publications are set by linotype, one operator doing the setting for both papers. We have never noticed either one of these papers criticizing the other. Everything seems to be running smoothly, not a jar between them. We take it that they are in business for the money they get out of it, and that fighting editorials does not concern them. Smooth sailing is what brings in the rocks, and from a money stand point we hope both publications will continue to prosper.

Additional Locals.

Mr. Ed Ross, who lives at Butte City, California, whose wife, before her marriage, was Miss Mary Willis, of this county, a sister of Mr. O. P. Willis, this place, has sent Dr. S. P. Miller, a box of California fruit which was exhibited at this office. It consisted of oranges, lemons, pomegranate, olives, nuts, etc. All of the above named fruit is fully three times as large as the same variety of fruit grown in this country or even in the South. A portion of the fruit was grown on Mr. Ross' place, and a neighbor sent a few samples grown on his farm. The donation was highly appreciated by Dr. Miller, who takes a delight in showing the same to friends of the donor, who some years ago lived in Adair county, and is very pleasantly remembered.

Mr. Eldridge Barger, who has been teaching in Georgia and Alabama for some months, returned home last week. He will remain here until the first of the coming year. He is undecided as to his next location. He is a splendid teacher and is one of Adair county's best young men. He is a son of Mr. Porter H. Barger, who qualifies his sons for business, and when they leave home "failure" is not in their vocabulary.

Eld C. C. Crawford, of Cincinnati, and Eld. Z. T. Williams, this place, are assisting Eld. Gunn in a meeting at Jamestown. It started last Wednesday night and will likely continue for three weeks.

Did you ever look all day for a Christmas present, visiting every store in town two or three times each, and when night comes find that you had not made a selection, and at the same time be too tired to sleep? Such an experience is occurring with some one every day or two at this season of the year. The trouble is that the donor is much more particular that the one who is to become the recipient. The recipient of a present wants to be remembered, but is not particular about the gift.

Miss Amelia Damron, of Columbia, is spending the week-end with Misses Frances Reed and Allene Montgomery at K. C. W.—Danville Advocate.

Miss Laura Frazer was hostess at a dinner party Friday evening in honor of Miss Amelia Damron, of Columbia. The other guests were Misses Frances Reed and Allene Montgomery of K. C. W. Later in the evening Miss Frazer entertained Misses Damron, Reed and Montgomery with a picture show and Shop-Perfect party, chaperoned by Mrs. Daisy Walter—Danville Advocate.

Ray Daniels.

BY R. L. CAMPBELL.

A memorial to Ray Daniels, the thirteen year old Newsboy of Louisville, Ky., who was drowned in the Ohio river in making an effort to save the life of James Alexander, a negro competitor.

The men who crossed the stormy sea
To fight the fiendish Hun,
Are heroes as you all agree,
Great honors have they won
But on a pinnacle more high
Than soldier's name hath graced
A name whose fame should never die,
Ray Daniels, should be placed.
He plunged into the surging tide,
Ohio's ceaseless flow,
A drowning boy for help had cried
And Ray was never slow.
No martial music stirred his heart,
No medals did he crave,
Though life was sweet with it he'd
part
A negro boy to save.
No braver act, no nobler deed
Doth history record,
Race ties more strong this act should
breed
To be a just reward
Then shame, ye northern agitators
Who try to stir up strife,
To save a drowning negro boy
You would not give your life.
It takes a Southern chivalry
Such bravery to display,
Then keep your race equality
And from us stay away.
Ray Daniels gave his sweet young life
To save a negro friend,
So let this teach you that race strife
Forever more must end.

Pellyton.

Mr. John Brockman and children were at Lebanon last Saturday, to see his wife, who has undergone an operation there, and they report her getting along nicely.

Judge W. S. Sinclair and W. G. Ellis were here last week.

Mr. Everett Workman, who has been in Cincinnati, is at home again.

Mr. Grover Corneal, who is in the hospital at Cincinnati, is reported improving.

Mr. Owen Coffey and wife, of Campbellsville, were here last Sunday.

Miss Retta Murrah, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Gertrude Pelley, has returned to her home at Montpelier.

Dr. J. W. Raffety, who has been visiting relatives in Illinois, returned home Saturday.

They say the League of Nations is dead for four years. So is King Swepe.

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